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SUBJECT: CRITICISM OF WHO AND US RESEARCH PROJECTS IN INDIA

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DEPT PASS TO SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION FOR DILLON RIPLEY AND
HEW FOR SURGEON GENERAL DOD FOR DEPT OF THE ARMY.

1. SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE INDIAN COUNCIL FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH
GOPALAN HAS INFORMED US THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOPES TO
RELEASE A WHITE PAPER BY MONDAY, AUGUST 5, FORCEFULLY REFUTING
"GERM WARFARE" CHARGES.

2. COPALAN'S OWN INPUT IS SUPPOSED TO BE READY TODAY. AT HIS
REQUEST WE PREPARED FOR HIM A FILE OF DATA GIVING AN ACCURATE
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PICTURE OF THE SEVERAL PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE INSITI-

TUTIONS ATTACKED.

3. IT SHOULD NOW BE CLEAR TO COPALAN THAT THE GOI FINANCE, DEFENCE, AGRICULTURAL, AND/OR EDUCATION, AS WELL AS HEALTH MINISTRIES ASKED FOR, APPROVED, AND MONITORED ALL OF THESE RESEARCH PROJECTS.

4. COPALAN SAID THAT THE VISIT OF PAL AND COPPLESTONE HAD BEEN CALLED OFF, SINCE IN VIEW OF THE WHITE PAPER IT WOULD NOT BE NECESSARY TO BRING THEM ALL THE WAY FROM GENEVA.
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